

INFORMATION
OF
SPECIAL INTEREST
OR
IMPORTANCE
TO
MARINERS

NM 19/04

HYDROGRAM

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SPECIAL
ANNOUNCEMENTS

NEW PRODUCTS
OR SERVICES

IMPORTANT
CHANGES

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NOAA CHART NEW EDITIONS AND THEIR AVAILABILITY

NOAA RECOGNIZES TWO NAUTICAL CHART PRODUCTS: CHARTS-ON-DEMAND AND TRADITIONAL NOAA/NOS PAPER CHARTS. FOR ADDITIONAL INFORMATION, SEE SECTIONS II AND III.

UNITED STATES COAST GUARD NAVIGATION INFORMATION SERVICE

THE UNITED STATES COAST GUARD NAVIGATION INFORMATION SERVICE (NIS), OPERATED BY THE USCG NAVIGATION CENTER, PROVIDES INFORMATION FOR ALL RADIONAVIGATION SYSTEMS. SEE SECTION III.

NGA SAILING DIRECTIONS NOW AVAILABLE ON THE WWW

NGA SAILING DIRECTIONS (BOTH ENROUTES AND PLANNING GUIDES) ARE NOW AVAILABLE VIA THE MARITIME SAFETY INFORMATION WEBSITE. SEE SECTION III.